

# Drinking Water State Revolving Fund

## Washington State Public Works Board



The Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (DWSRF) loan program is intended to improve drinking water systems and protect public health, and is designed for both publicly and privately owned systems. The program was established in 1996, when Congress reauthorized the Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA). In Washington State, the program is jointly managed by the Department of Health and the Public Works Board. The DWSRF loan fund is comprised of both federal and state funds. Applications for loans are accepted on an annual basis. Applications for 2003 are due to the Department of Health by May 12, 2003.

### Program Specifics

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#### Eligible Activities:

- Address existing water system problems that may cause a drinking water system to exceed health standards as defined by the SDWA.
- Replace aging infrastructure needed to maintain compliance with SDWA.
- Acquire real property needed to meet or maintain compliance.
- Reservoirs, distribution of finished water or clear wells that are part of a treatment process.
- Creation of new Group A water systems.
- Planning and design costs directly related to DWSRF eligible projects.

#### Funding Criteria:

DWSRF loan limits are:

- \$4 million per jurisdiction per year
- Satellite management agencies may combine loan limits of systems being consolidated up to a maximum of \$8 million per year.

- Multiple owners of one project may combine their loan limits up to a maximum of \$8 million per year.

#### Interest Rates:

Interest rates range is 1.5% - 0.5% (extremely disadvantaged communities may be eligible for 0%)

#### Loan Terms:

The loan term will be determined by the life of the facility being repaired, not to exceed twenty years.

#### Local Match:

Local match is **not** required.

#### Application Due Date:

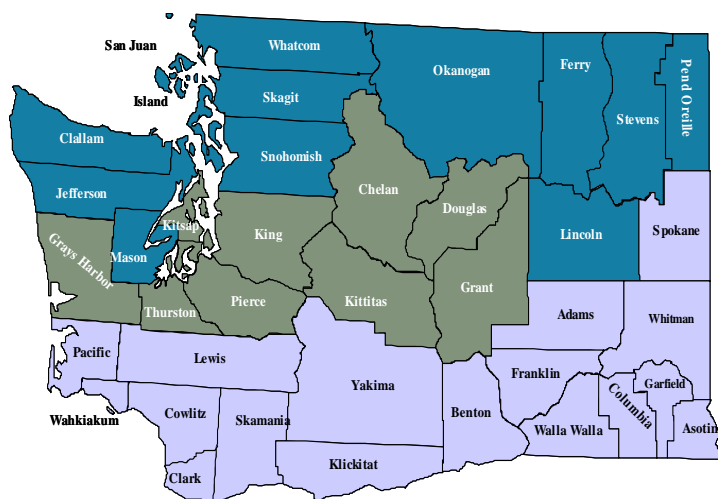
Applications are accepted annually, in the early spring. (2003 cycle due date is Monday, May 12, 2003)

## Public Works Board Client Service Representatives

For information on the program, contact:

- ◆ Private Water Systems should contact Enid Melendez.
- ◆ Public Water Systems should contact one of the Client Service Representatives listed.

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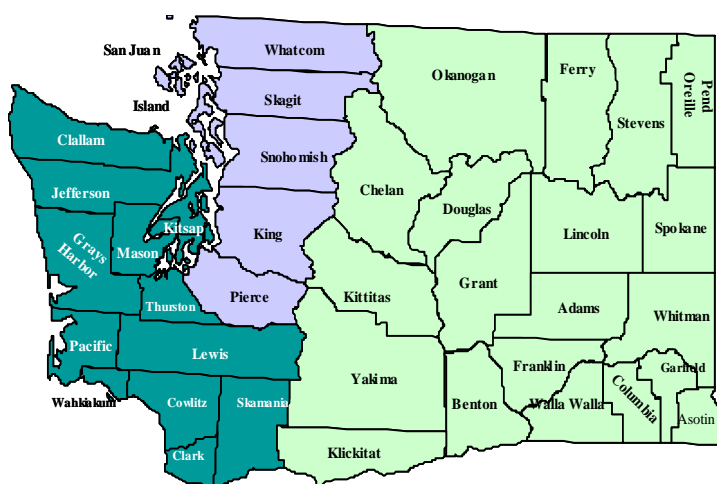
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## Department of Health Regional Offices

For specific information on project eligibility, priority ranking or for general information regarding planning and project approval, contact one of the DOH Regional offices listed, or visit the DOH website at [www.doh.wa.gov/ehp/dw/Our\\_Main\\_Pages/dwsrf.htm](http://www.doh.wa.gov/ehp/dw/Our_Main_Pages/dwsrf.htm)



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